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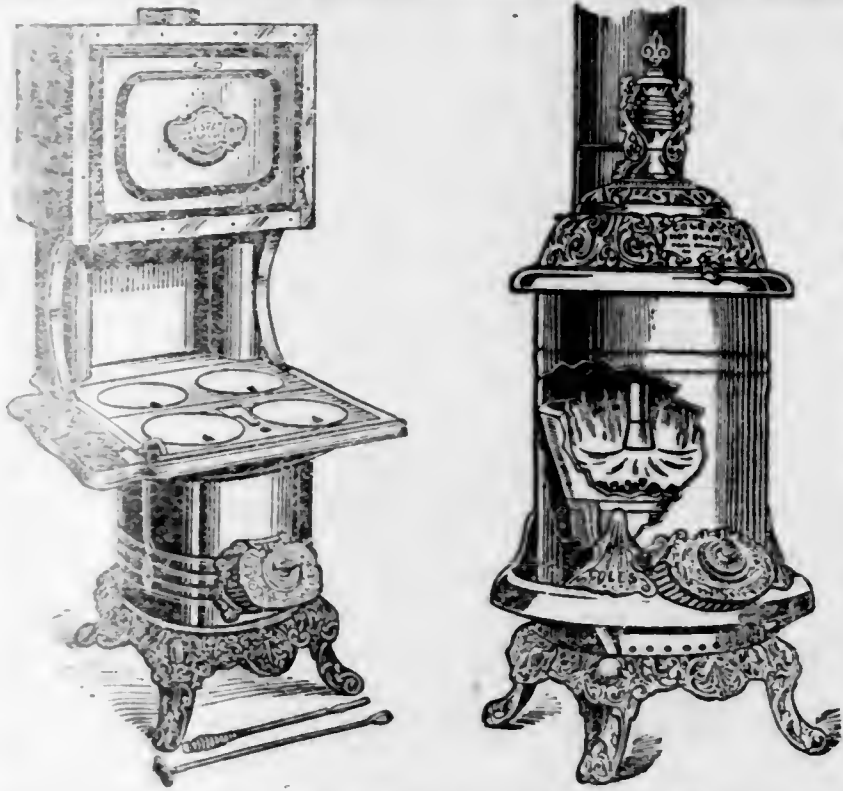
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State Press Convention Program Announced.

The program of the mid-winter meeting of the Kentucky Press Association at Lexington, December 29 and 30, was announced Friday by J. C. Alcock, of Jeffersonton, secretary and treasurer. Sessions will be held at the Phoenix Hotel and particular attention has been paid to the social side of the meeting. The program will be as follows:

12:30 to 1:30—Luncheon.
1:30 p. m.—Called to order
Invocation by Dr. R. H. Crossfield, president of Transylvania University.
Address of Welcome—Ex-Mayor John Skain.

Response—H. A. Sommers, Elizabethtown News.

2 p. m.—"Prison Reform and My Work as Warden," A. J. G. Wells, Kentucky State Reformatory, Frankfort.

2:30 p. m.—Round Table, "Co-operation Conductive to Success," conducted by Ed D. Shinnick, Shelbyville Record.

3 p. m.—"State University School of Journalism," Dr. A. S. McKenzie, Lexington.

3:30 p. m.—"Back to Old Kentucky," Harry Giovannoli, Lexington Leader.

4 p. m.—"The Mission of the Newspaper to the Community," Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, Morehead Mountaineer.

4:30 p. m.—"Shop Talk to The Craft," conducted by Louis Landram, Danville Messenger.

5 p. m.—"Mountain Journalism," Emin Elam, Salyersville Mountaineer.

Adjournment.

8 p. m.—Reception and dance at the Phoenix Hotel.

SECOND DAY.

9 a. m.—"The State University," President Henry S. Barker.

10 a. m.—"Chamber of Horrors," Round Table, conducted by D. M. Hutson, Harrodsburg Herald.

11 a. m.—"The Money End of the Newspaper Business," C. S. Clark, Western Newspaper Union, Cincinnati, O.

11:30 a. m.—"Mountain Prints," Miss M. Annie Poage, Ashland Independent.

Adjournment for luncheon.

1:30 p. m.—Meeting for "Whatever May Come Up." Final business and adjournment.

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Secret of Beef Prices.

If the consumer who buys beef ribs and loins is paying as much as he did at this time last year, the retailer is taking an extra profit of about 25 per cent., according to General Manager Howe, of Armour & Co.

These commodities, he says, are being sold by the packers at 25 per cent. under last year's prices. Pork is being sold by the wholesalers to the retailers at more than ten per cent. reduction.

These lower prices have been in effect several months, but reports from several cities indicate no reduction to the consumer.

Comparisons of wholesale prices now and this time last year show the following: No. one rib, per pound in '12, 25c; '13, 18c; No. one loin, per pound, last year, 25c; this year, 20c; pork per pound in '12, 20c; this year, 17 1/2c.

Body of Dr. Bowman Removed To Richmond.

The remains of the late Dr. Sel Bowman, a prominent physician who departed this life at his home at Pryse in 1891, was exhumed on the 27th ult. and removed to a lot in the Richmond Cemetery, recently purchased by his heirs. The work of removing the body was done by Robt. Golden, of Richmond, under the supervision of Mr. Charles Bowman, son of the deceased. The remains of Dr. Bowman laid overnight in his old home, now owned and occupied by Mr. Dillard Williams.—Estill Tribune.

Pardon Asked For Slayer Of Mullins.

Edward Morrow, of Covington, U. S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Kentucky, was in Washington last week to ask the Attorney General to recommend that a pardon be granted Berry Simpson, of Stearns, who is serving a life sentence in the Federal prison at Atlanta on a charge of conspiracy. Simpson was convicted four years ago in the Federal court in this city, charged with being instigator of a riot at Stearns, in which Deputy U. S. Marshal Jno. Mullins was killed.

The Suggestions of The News Approved.

The Elizabethtown News says: The News is in receipt of letters and personal messages from various parts of Kentucky heartily endorsing its recent editorial suggesting the way to solve our tax problems in Kentucky. There is a most universal agreement as to one of the suggestions contained in the editorial columns of the News, to wit: Providing for a State commission, with entire control over the matter of assessment. There is also practically a unanimous opinion, from those who have written us on the subject, that at present the real and personal property of the State is not assessed at more than 35 per cent. of its cash value. Less than 5 per cent. of the people are actually giving in their property at its cash value, while the other 95 per cent. are giving it in from 75 per cent. down to 20 per cent. This is absolutely unjust and unequal and the only way to reform it is to put the whole matter of assessment in a State Board, with the right to appoint their local agents and assess all property at its actual cash value. If this is done 60 per cent. will be added to the present valuation and the rate can be reduced from 50 cents to 25 cents and still yield to the State a million dollars more than the present revenue.

The suggestion of the News to exempt from municipal taxation all intangible property has raised in the minds of some lawyers a question as to its constitutionality. If it is submitted to the constitution it will settle the whole question. If it is unconstitutional, then the law might provide that all intangible property, which includes bonds, stocks, cash in bank and notes, shall pay 50 instead of 35 cents on the hundred dollars in lieu of other taxes. This would add \$2,000,000 to the State funds and neither hurt the cities nor the counties, and would be an absolutely fair and just provision for this character of property.

Good Suggestion.

Say! farmers, you who know that corn is high, and hogs comparatively low, let us tell you something. If you run out of meat before hog killing time have you noticed the exorbitant price you must pay for bacon at the grocery or butcher shop? Did you ever know a time, when country hams, shoulders, sides or lard, could not be sold to your local grocer at good prices? If you have a farm and hogs you certainly have a good smoke house. Why don't you cure more meat? If you have more than you can use, you can sell it readily, at any time, at prices that will pay you far better than to sell live porkers to the packers. Isn't this true?—Shelbyville Record.

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The End of the World.

Predictions of the end of the world have been a source of terror to many peoples through many centuries. St. Augustine, in the fourth century, concluded only a few years of respite to the human species before the end of time. In the ninth century, in countries of continental Europe, the people began to make preparation for the destruction of the world, then prophesied to be near at hand. They abandoned their fields and workshops, and threw themselves into the arms of the altar: they gave their possessions to the churches and monasteries. The end was to come with the beginning of the thousandth year of the Christian era. The fatal day came. But the sun continued to shine in the vault of the heavens, the stars remained in their places and the people returned to their customary pursuits. But the prophets were not discouraged, and Arnault du Villeneuve, a Frenchman, fixed the date for the finish in 1335—and again a mistake had been made in the direful horoscope. Next came Jonathan Stoffer, a German astrologer, who announced that the world would be overwhelmed by a deluge in 1521, and a worthy theologian at Toulouse constructed an ark.

In 1599 the end of the world was announced in France, and the wildest terror prevailed. Henry IV, who had not been any too good a Protestant, and was no better as a Catholic, laughed at this prediction. Then he became serious and issued an edict forbidding his subjects to make about anti-Christ and the last judgment. The latest prophet of any age was an Italian, a monk of Padua, who died at the age of ninety, a day or two after the exaltation of Pope Leo XIII. He left a prophecy giving a list of the popes, ten in number, who should reign before the end of the world should come. And these are the names: First, the present pope, Pius X; then will come Paul VI, Pius XI, Gregory XVI, and so on, concluding with Peter II, who shall be the last pope who will occupy the papal chair when the end comes. As popes reign an average of twelve years each, the grim prophet only allows a century more of the world and then all will be over. This prophecy, however, has never been accepted with anything like the seriousness with which it was given.

Dies In Louisville.

Mr. James Rooksby, well remembered here as an important factor in the barrel factory several years ago, died in Louisville on the 9th inst., following an operation for locked bowels. Three years ago he married Miss Nancy Warren, of this city, and they soon afterwards moved to Louisville to live. He was about 34 years of age and an excellent citizen. Mrs. Rooksby is visiting Mrs. Hattie Buchanan and will in future make her home in Richmond.

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Mr. W. S. Webb, of Duluth, in this county, and Miss Martha Jones, daughter of Jailer N. B. Jones, motored over to Lexington Tuesday evening and were united in marriage at the Phoenix Hotel by Rev. A. G. McGuire, of the Baptist church. After the ceremony the happy couple returned to this city, where they will reside for the present. The groom is associated in the merchandise business with his father at Duluth and has many friends who join in extending best wishes to him and his popular bride for a long and happy married life.

Mr. John Parrish and Miss Annie Cosby, of this county, went to Lexington on Wednesday afternoon last and were united in the holy bonds of wedlock at the parsonage of the Calvary Baptist church in that city, the pastor, Rev. T. C. Epton, officiating. The happy couple was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rose and Miss Parrish, of this city. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Cosby and is very popular, with a large circle of friends. The groom is a son of Mr. Peter Parrish, and is one of Madison's best known young men. After an extensive Eastern trip, Mr. and Mrs. Parrish will return to this city to reside. The hearty congratulations of many friends are extended to the happy couple.

No more popular couple ever started out on life's journey together than Mr. William Wilson and his bride, who before her marriage last Thursday was Miss Nettie Wagers, the eldest daughter of Mr. Jonah Wagers. The ceremony was said by Rev. E. B. Barnes and was quiet and impressive, being witnessed by only the immediate families. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson left at once for his home at Kirksville, where they will go to housekeeping.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, formerly of Estill county, but for a number of years has lived in this county. He is a grandson of the late Capt. John Wilson, the hero of the battle of Lookout Mountain. Mr. Wilson is a young man of sterling worth, possessing fine business qualifications, and is in every way worthy of the young lady of his choice. His bride is the embodiment of all the lovely and lovable traits that go to make elegant, refined womanhood. She is a girl whom to know is to love, and thrice lucky is the man who claims her as his own. May the love which began in childhood and which has reached happy wedlock, flow on through a long, happy life, making it one grand, sweet song.

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IT PAYS TO LOOK FOR LANE'S LUXURIES!

Mr. Haden Expires Suddenly.

The death Wednesday evening of Mr. Geo. Haden, at his home near Millon, came as a great shock and surprise to his relatives and friends. Mr. Haden had been complaining for about two weeks of not feeling well, yet he was never sufficiently ill as to render him bedfast and on Wednesday was thought to be considerably improved. Late in the afternoon deceased was reclining on a couch and his faithful wife went to his side, being attracted by his heavy breathing, and reached the afflicted man just as life passed out. Mr. Haden was one of the best known farmers of that section of the county, where he had spent a life of 60 years. He was a member of the Christian church and well liked by all who knew him. He is survived by his wife and one child. Funeral services were conducted Thursday morning by Rev. O. J. Young, followed by interment in the family burying ground near his late home.

HAVE YOU THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT? LANE HAS THE CHRISTMAS BARGAINS.

Count Your Cattle.

Some parties brought a number of fine beef hides to Wm. Stillman's place this week and offered them for sale. Mr. Stillman became suspicious and began questioning the men. They left immediately without making a sale. Later the hides were found over the fence near the Clark's Run crossing, on the Stanford pike. Officers think it possible that the parties had stolen the cattle, butchered them and then offered the hides for sale. Large cattle owners should count their cattle.—Danville Advocate.

Pure old country sorghum and New Orleans sugar-house molasses. D. B. McKinney. 16-17

Go to the Racket Store and select your Christmas goods before the rush begins. Everything in the toy line for children.

Deals In Real Estate, Stock and Crop Exports of Special Interest :

W. B. Burton bought a pair of 5-year-old mules for \$625 at Barbourville. They were blue ribbon winners.—Lancaster Record.

H. S. Caywood, of North Middletown, bought 150 head of cattle at 8c for spring delivery from Robt. C. Gatewood, of Montgomery county.

A. K. McCown delivered to John F. Wagers Saturday 71 250-pound hogs, purchased some time ago at 73-4c. This was the first bunch of hogs to go out of Madison this season.

John E. Madden, master of Hamburg Place, near Lexington, shipped 200 fat cattle to the Eastern market. They were fed at Madden's place and averaged about 1,200.

Most of the thousands of cattle that were held at Fort Erie, Ontario, for the American tariff to be removed were unfit for beef and will have to be fattened in the United States.

Jas. R. Magowan, of Mt. Sterling, sold to Mr. Mox, of Austria, the widely-known trotting mares, Ann Direct, 2:10-45, and Neva Todd, 2:13 3/4. Both are in foal. They brought \$2,000. These mares will go to Austria.

At McKee Bros.' sale of Duroc-Jersey hogs, at Versailles last week, 51 head of sows and gilts sold for an average of \$73.40; 13 sows bred to Defender averaging \$164. Buyers were present from Kentucky, Ohio, Illinois, Indiana and other States.

There were about 1,000 cattle on the Mt. Sterling market Monday, with the best 900-pound steers selling at 7c. The bulk of sales were around 61-2c; heifers 51-2 to 6c; cows 5 to 51-2c and bulls about same figure. Small crowd and trading slow.

A Dubois county, Indiana, farmer sold to another farmer 13 hogs affected with cholera. The purchaser turned them with his own herd of one hundred head and they took the disease and almost all of them died. He sued and recovered a verdict for \$800 damages.

The distinction of marketing the record-priced cattle of the year in the Blue Grass belongs to President Clarence LeBus, of the Burley Tobacco Society, who sold to Campbell & Lamasters, of Henry county, 57 fancy Christmas beavers at 81 1/2c straight. The bunch averaged 1,602 pounds and 30 head from "Vinita Farm" averaged 1,657 pounds, bringing \$140.71 per head.

The importation of beef cattle from the Argentine, Canada, and other countries under the new tariff, has not perceptibly changed retail prices of meat. The number of cattle that it is possible to ship from those countries is too small to make any material difference in the United States.

R. H. Crow bought of Col. J. O. Kerfoot, of Elizabethtown, a boar sired by Tom Chief 43,101, dam a Col. King sow. The gilt by Cherry Tenn., that sold for \$1,000, out of a sow by Superba and Defender dam.—J. N. Wright sold to M. S. Baughman ten fat meat hogs, averaging 345 pounds, at 8c.—Danville Messenger.

The corn and tobacco crops in general all over the country the past season were very inferior, and in consequence seed corn and tobacco seed next spring will be in great demand and at a premium. In view of this fact, farmers should begin making arrangements for their seed early, before they are called upon to pay exorbitant prices. Overhaul your corn and see if any of it is available for seed-purposes; if not, make arrangements with your neighbor. Do not put this matter off, or you may have to pay exorbitant prices later.

The Department of Agriculture has seized two large shipments of stock feed, based upon the finding of the bureau of chemistry that feed was mixed with sand. It is bad enough to attempt to defraud and injure human beings with adulterated food, as a man or a child chewing sand can make a complaint and seek a remedy. It is a consolation to know that there is a department of the government that purposes to protect beast as well as men and prevent those who would from imposing on the helpless.

Black cake ingredients. Lackey & Todd. 16-17.

Tenders Resignation.

Mr. W. J. Newsom, who has been associated with the Modern Brotherhood of America as State manager for South-eastern Kentucky for the past five years, has resigned this office to go with the Commonwealth Life Insurance Co., of Louisville. Mr. Newsom is a progressive, energetic gentleman and will, no doubt, be a valuable acquisition to the company he represents in this territory.

Mr. Greening Dies Near Lancaster.

Mr. John T. Greening, a half brother of the late Galen J. White, of this city, died at his home, four miles from Lancaster, Wednesday evening, aged about 77 years, after a short illness of pneumonia. He is survived by an invalid wife and one son, who is a banker in Parsons, Kas. Mr. Roy C. White, of this city, attended the funeral and burial Thursday.

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Prize For Correct Answers.

A Washington correspondent protests that the questions propounded to candidates for admission to the Naval School at Annapolis are needlessly severe. As evidence he offers these, taken at random from a recent quiz: What effect did the battle of Crecy have upon feudalism and chivalry? State the significance of Shay's Rebellion.

State concisely the achievements of De Narvaez.

What brought about the union of the two most important States of Spain? What was decided at the battle of Banockburn?

Identify the Hussites.

What is meant by "the begira"?

State concisely the chief significance of Plutarch. Give briefly the wars of conquest of Darius I. "Doan's Ointment cured me of eczema that had annoyed me for a long time. The result was lasting."—Hon. S. W. Matthews, Commissioner, Labor Statistics, Augusta, Maine.

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No Paper Next Week.

Following our usual custom, the Climax will not make its appearance next week, which is the last of the present year. This is done to give our employees an opportunity to enjoy the holidays. The office will be kept open each day during the week and orders for job printing will be executed with our usual promptness.

PERSONALS.

Mr. J. C. Bush is visiting Deputy Sheriff Sam P. Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phelps spent Monday in Lexington.

Mrs. C. B. Hendren, of Beattyville, spent Monday here.

Miss Annie Mae Walker spent Saturday in Lexington.

City Attorney D. M. Chenaunt was in Cincinnati last week.

Mr. Hale Dean has returned from a business trip to Florida.

Mrs. June Baxter has been very ill at her home on the Summit.

Mr. William Millard is visiting his parents in Bristol, Tenn.

Mr. Robert Collins, of Versailles, was a visitor here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Earl Curtis, now of Lebanon, is in Richmond for a visit with friends.

Mr. Merritt Powell, now of Lexington, is the guest of Mrs. Hale Dean.

Mr. Mat Cohen, of Lexington, was a visitor here the first of the week.

Mrs. D. M. Chenaunt and Miss Josephine spent Friday in Lexington.

Miss Rosina Elder, of Paris, was the guest last week of Miss Mattie Elder.

Mrs. L. B. Herrington and Mrs. Harvey Chenaunt spent Wednesday in Lexington.

Miss Josephine Chenaunt is visiting Miss Hazel Grubbs, in Montgomery county.

Messrs. Thompson and Logan Burnam are at home from college for several days.

Mr. Curtis Bennett is at home from Culver Military Academy for the holidays.

Mr. William Marsteller is in Richmond for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Clay.

Mr. Henry White, now of Mansfield, Ohio, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce, of Stanford, were the week end guests of Mrs. G. H. Turley.

Mrs. Spears, of Lexington, is spending the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Turley.

Mr. William Burnam is at home from Kiski College, near Pittsburg, Pa., for the holidays.

Mrs. B. Broadus, of College Hill, is able to be out after a serious illness of several weeks.

Messrs. Hester Covington and Marianne Collins leave the 26th inst., to spend a week as the guest of Ensign Marshall Collins, at Annapolis, Md.

Mrs. J. C. Oldham left Monday to spend several months with relatives in Somerset.

Hon. J. A. Sullivan returned to Richmond the first of the week after several months absence.

Miss Norma Giunchigliani, who is studying music in Cincinnati, is at home for the holidays.

Mr. M. C. Covington and Miss Josephine Covington will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Hasbrook Haines, at Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. R. B. Terrill will leave Saturday for a month's visit to Mrs. Al Kenner, at Birmingham, Ala.

Rev. W. M. Williams and wife left Tuesday for Tullahoma, Ky., to spend to spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Lillian Nash, of Lexington, will spend the holiday with the family of Mr. and Mrs. John Nash.

Mr. Arnold Hanger arrived Monday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hanger.

Miss Mary Barrett Smith is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phelps during the Christmas vacation.

Mr. Hart Perry returned Friday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Perry.

Mr. Percy Johnson, cashier of the Citizens National Bank, Louisville, was here on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Chenaunt left yesterday for Mr. Sterling, where they will spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Callie Miller Shackelford gave an informal dance at her home on Lancaster avenue, Monday evening.

Miss Diana Yager, of Georgetown, will be the guest of Mrs. Walter Bennett for the Cotillion Friday evening.

Mr. Gaines Jasper arrived home Sunday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jasper.

Mr. Sam Park, of Kansas City, is the guest of Mr. George Park, of Speedwell, for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Anne Mae Walker, of Richmond, will arrive today for a visit to her aunt, Mrs. J. T. Cox.--Danville Messenger.

Mr. W. B. Nash, of Dayton, Ohio, is expected to join his wife and children and spend the holidays with them here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker McKinney, of Georgetown, were in Richmond, Wednesday, for the funeral of Mrs. Baumstark.

Miss Sue Scrivner will reach home tomorrow from Winchester, to spend the holidays with her father and sisters here.

In consequence of the death of Mr. George Voorries, Mr. and Mrs. Camden have recalled the invitations issued by them to a dance on the evening of Dec. 25, 1913.

Mrs. W. S. Broadus was called to Middleboro, Monday, on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Walter Ballard.

Miss Hattie Lee Millon will spend Christmas week with Miss Florence in Lawrenceburg, and attend a dance Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scrivner and two sons leave tomorrow for Wisemantown to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamilton.

Miss Elizabeth Blanton, Messrs. Edwin Powell, Thompson Burnam and Chas. Vaught are at home from Danville for the holidays.

Miss Sarah Marshall, has returned to her home in Chicago, after spending several months with her aunt, Mrs. J. S. Collins.

Messrs. Edwin Cobb and Harry Hanger, who are attending school at the University of Missouri, are at home for the holidays.

Miss Elizabeth Farley and Mr. John William Farley are spending the holidays with their grand mother, Mrs. Elizabeth March.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jett were hosts at an elegant six o'clock dinner last Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. Jephtha Jett and bride.

Miss Ada Parke, who has been visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carr, in Lexington, has returned to her home near Red House.

Mrs. G. W. Duley, of Hoopeston, Ill., came Tuesday to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Wilson Tate, who has been ill for months.

Mrs. Mary Roark and daughter, Miss Kathleen, are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Creagan Roark, in Washington City.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Broadus gave a lovely supper to the immediate family Thursday evening in honor of Mr. Chas. Broadus and bride.

Messrs. Wm. Collins, David Phelps, James and Curtis Park, Howard Neale Thompson, Thos. McCowan and Merritt Powell, of State University, Lexington, are at home for Christmas.

Mrs. E. H. Bybee had as guests last week Rev. W. S. Grinstead and wife, Mr. Ralph Scott and wife and Miss Elma Singleton.

Miss Geneva Nash, stenographer for the Long Bell Lumber Co., of Philadelphia, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Nash.

Miss May Ammerman will return from Richmond, Friday, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ammerman.--Cynthiana Democrat.

Mr. Tracy Green was the promoter of a dance given at the Masonic Temple, Wednesday evening, which was greatly enjoyed by a number of young people.

W. B. McKinney was in Richmond Friday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Clay Brown and children went to Richmond, Thursday, to make their home.--Stanford Journal.

Messrs. Fred Gumbert, of Huntington, W. Va., and Chas. Gumbert, of State College, Lexington, are with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gumbert, for the holidays.

Miss Ada Young, who has been teaching at Baldwin, closed her school Dec. 13th, with a large attendance. A Xmas treat was enjoyed by the children and patrons.

Mrs. William I. Goodwin and son have gone to Richmond for a visit. Mrs. Oldham Green and Miss Mary E. Turner, of Richmond, were guests here this week.--Lexington Herald.

Rev. P. F. Adams and family, of Lawrenceburg, are with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grace Hall, of Lexington, are here to spend Christmas with the families of A. D. and C. D. Miller.

Mrs. D. M. Chenaunt entertained at bridge on Saturday last week. Christmas decorations added charm to the occasion. Miss Mary Turner was prize, and Mrs. Walter Bennett second.

Mr. Joseph Arnold, of Riceford, spent Sunday with friends in this city. Mrs. R. M. Robertson has returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Richmond and Lancaster.--Danville Advocate.

Mrs. W. J. Newsum has returned from Harrison, Tenn., where she has been visiting relatives in company with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Looper, of Enid, Oklahoma. Her parents left for Enid, Thursday.

Mr. Sam Sullivan and Miss Kathleen Sullivan, of Lexington, are here and will spend the holidays with relatives at White Hall. Miss Sullivan is a student at State University and is one of Richmond's most popular girls.

Mr. Harry Morgan has been confined to his home for the week on account of pneumonia poisoning. He was taken suddenly ill a week ago and for a time his condition was quite serious, but he is now able to be out.

Rev. Ashford Reeves, of Winder, Ga., was in Richmond, Tuesday, en route to Atlanta to attend the dedication of the Christian church at that place. The initial steps to erect the building were taken during Rev. Reeves' pastorate at that church.

The Mary Pattie Music Club met with Miss Fannie Wilking Saturday afternoon. Wagner's "Die Meistersinger" was the subject of the meeting and a most enjoyable program was rendered. Miss Hurst, Miss Mattie Russell White and Miss Cynthia Davidson were guests for the afternoon.

Mr. William Mellon and sister, Miss Belle Rucker Mellon, left last Monday for Oklahoma, to visit their sick sister, Miss Addie Mellon, who is very sick and whose prospects for improvement are slight. They are children of Mr. H. K. Mellon, of this place.

Quite a number of Richmond people attended the dedication of Knapp Hall and the performance of the "Messiah," at Berea, Tuesday. Among the number were: Prof. J. G. Crabbe, Mrs. R. E. Turley, Mrs. Bessie Chenaunt, Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Barnes, Prof. and Mrs. Koch, Miss Mary Traynor and Mr. Spears Turley.

Mr. Rufus Oldham, of Bloomington, Ill., was a caller at the Climax office last week. Mr. Oldham is a native of Basil county, but resided in Madison many years ago, where he and his family have prospered. He says there are a number of ex-Madisonians in and around Bloomington, all doing well. Mr. Oldham is a cousin of Mr. Jeff Stone and related to the Oldham family throughout the country.

Miss Elizabeth Robinson, of Louisville, was in this city last week to call on Madison's Representatives in the Legislature and Senate in the interest of a bill to be introduced in the General Assembly this winter requiring trained nurses to be registered. Miss Robinson is herself a trained nurse. She has visited a number of counties and has met

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The Bible Class of the Christian church, with Mr. R. E. Turley as teacher, entertained with a delightful banquet on Thursday evening at seven o'clock. The menu consisted of--Oyster soup, pickles, crackers, celery, old ham, hot rolls, potato chips, fruit salad, coffee, bisque cream and assorted cakes, after which the officers were elected for the coming year and the class was taken in a body to Alhambra with Mr. Elmer Deatherage as host.

The following friends of the deceased attended from out of the city the burial last Wednesday of Mrs. Baumstark: Rev. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Walker McKinney, Mrs. Robb, Mr. V. Bybee, of Georgetown; Rev. W. S. Grinstead and wife, London; Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Oldham, Mrs. John Tyler, Mr. Sterling; Mrs. A. B. Singleton, Millersburg; Dr. Richard Allen and children, Ruckerville, Clark county; Robert Scott and wife, Hiberna Vista, Garrard county; Jos. Sewell, Leslie Bybee and wife, Cynthiana.

Funeral of Mr. Igo.

The funeral services of Mr. G. C. Igo, who died at his home on the Lexington pike Monday night at 11 o'clock, will be conducted at the grave in the Richmond cemetery today at 11 o'clock. Elder E. B. Barnes officiating. Mr. Igo's death was not unexpected, his family and friends having some days ago given up all hope of recovery. He was one of the best known farmers in the county and will be missed by a large number of friends. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. G. G. Perry, of Stanford, and two brothers, Messrs. H. M. and Alexander Igo, both of this county.

The Elks will have charge of the remains and all Elks are requested to meet at the lodge room at 10:30 this morning, preparatory to accompanying the body to the cemetery.

"Peg O' My Heart."

A notable attraction is promised Lexington and vicinity at the Ben Ali Theatre Jan. 1, 2 and 3, with matinees on the 1st and 3d, in "Peg O' My Heart," produced by Oliver Morosco with a notable cast, including Isabel Vernon, Col. Campbell, Maude Allan, David Croc.

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The following are some of our best prices: Coy & Curtis, general average \$18.00; Coy and Prewitt, average \$18.00; Ellswick & Curtis, average \$20.25, one basket brought \$16; Forrest Calico, average \$17.75; Jerry Nolan, average \$18.00.

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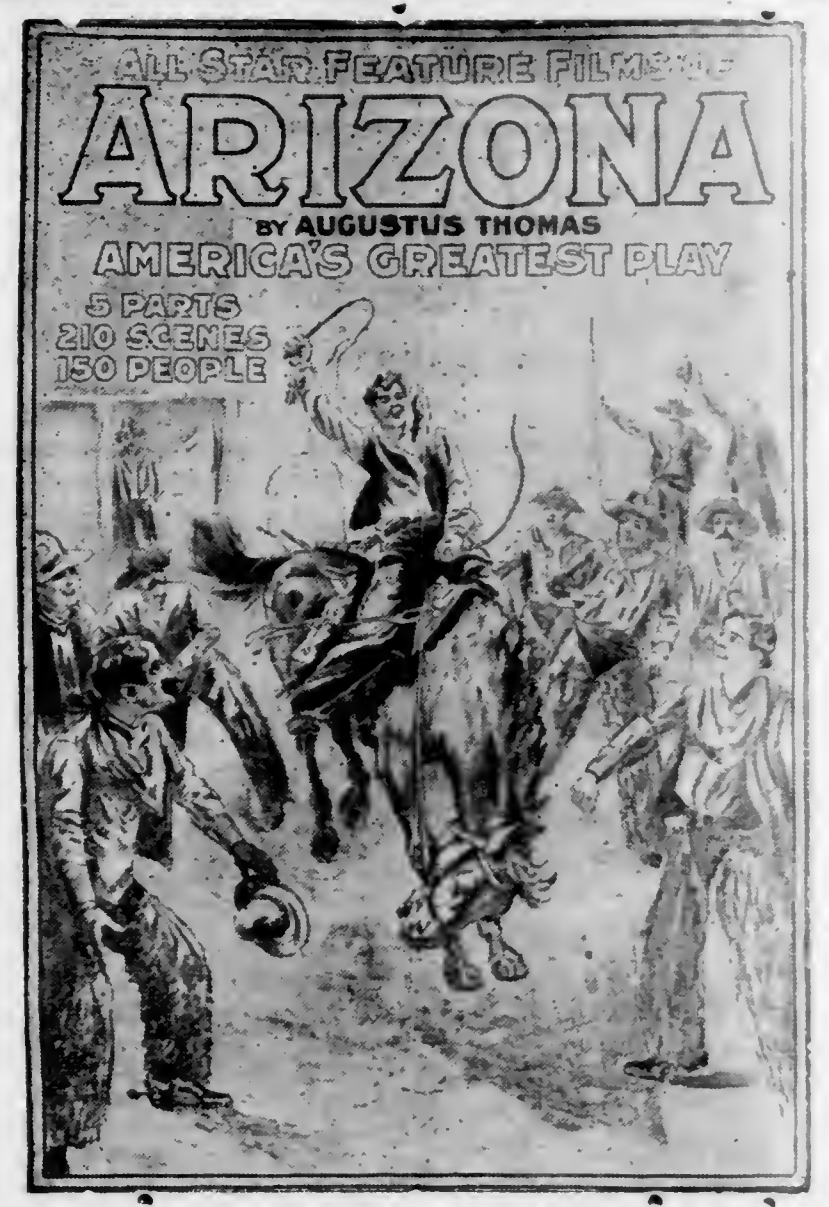
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At The ALHAMBRA MONDAY Decem. 29

Rollie Rose and Miss Ella Hensley, both of Duluth, this county, were married Wednesday at the home of the bride.

J. W. Fowler and Miss Nora McCormick, Wm. Roberts and Miss Maggie Lamb, of Berea, came to this city Friday and secured marriage licenses for a double wedding, which took place on that date at Berea.

Isaac Todd and Miss Ella Baker, of Ashburry, Ky., were united in the holy bonds of wedlock Thursday at the office of Squier J. D. Dykes, that gentleman performing the ceremony.

Benjamin Abner and Miss Mary Hazzelwood were united in marriage at the county clerk's office Thursday, after a ceremony performed by the Rev. A. J. Tribble at the residence of the bride.

Charles Broadus and Miss Nancy Portwood were united in marriage Thursday at the residence of Elder A. J. Tribble, that minister performing the ceremony. The bride is a daughter of Mr. Charles Portwood, of Hyattsville, in this county, and is a very attractive young lady. The groom is an attorney at law, and is a very capable young man, who will be a splendid help in hand with him. A large circle of friends extend hearty congratulations to the happy couple.

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The five houses of the Lexington Tobacco Warehouse Co., Incorporated, have saved their customers the past week about one-half their selling charges on their tobacco. The Lexington market sold last week 3,104,935 pounds at a general average of \$12.42 per hundred pounds. Our five houses sold 1,018,470 pounds of this amount at a general average of \$12.60 per hundred pounds, making a net gain for our customers of 18 cents per hundred pounds. This proves to the tobacco raisers what it means for them to let experienced tobacco men sell their tobacco for them. The following crops will give you an idea of some of the averages made the past week:

Yarrington & Seythe, Fayette county, 1,915 pounds, average \$18.75; Showalter & Burk, Scott county, 8,515 pounds, average \$17.31; Reeves & McCoy, Garrard county, 3,580 pounds, average \$16.48; Onstott & Simpson, Garrard county, 4,700 pounds, average \$16.90; Mattingly & Carter, Jessamine county, 3,370 pounds at \$16.00; Prewitt & Kelley, Madison county, 2,095 pounds, average \$15.75; John D. Simpson, Madison county, 2,450 pounds, average \$15.21.

The market closed for the holidays on Friday, December 19, and will open again on Monday, December 29, and we expect heavier sales from now on. All of our houses are open every day, both day and night, ready to receive your tobacco. It means just as much to us as it does to you to get you high prices for your tobacco, for we want to send you home a satisfied customer. Bring your tobacco in during Christmas week, so you can have it on sale the opening day.

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NEWS NOTES

The wealth of the United States is estimated at \$100,000,000,000.

Andrew Carnegie declares himself for Elihu Root as the Republican nominee for President.

Editor S. A. Cunningham, of the Confederate Veteran, is critically ill at his home in Nashville.

Margie, the 13-year-old daughter of W. G. Capps, died in Rockcastle of lockjaw from the puncture of a tack.

Wisconsin's new law protecting frogs their breeding season is believed to be the first of the kind in the world.

England's minister to France receives the highest salary of her foreign representatives. That to the United States is next.

Washington City has a great negro department store, capitalized at \$50,000, divided into 50,000 shares at one dollar each.

The world's annual production of gold is now about five times as great as in 1887, when the great fields of South Africa were opened.

Cardinal Rampolla was one of the greatest men of the church, declared Pope Pius X, on learning of the death of the cardinal.

Sallie Garrett, a white woman living in Jackson, was Tuesday fined \$75 and costs and given 20 days in jail for bootlegging.

The Burnett Immigration Bill, including a literacy test, was ordered favorably reported by the House Immigration Committee.

Judge William Jefferson Pollard, who, as a police judge, is said to have been

the originator of the "drunkard's pledge," died in St. Louis.

Nearly 6,000,000 law suits are fought out in the German courts yearly. This number does not include criminal cases, either.

Former U. S. Senator Joseph Bailey sold the Fairland Stock Farm near Lexington to U. G. Sanders, of Fleming county, for \$90,000.

Henry Duncan, a prominent farmer of Scott county, is dead as a result of uraemic poisoning, caused by having an ankle broken by the kick of a mule.

There are 53 species of oak trees in the United States, about evenly divided between the East and West. The white species of the East are the most valuable.

A commission to examine Harry K. Thaw and decide whether his liberty on bail would be dangerous to public safety was appointed at Concord, N. H., by Judge Aldrich.

Miss Mollie Taylor, of Mayfield, committed suicide Tuesday by soaking the length of 15 matches in water and drinking it. She lived several hours in agony before death came.

The number of persons killed by lightning in the United States during the year average nearly 600; about 4,000 cattle are killed and the annual damage by lightning \$3,000,000.

That the increase in longevity, due to the modern health movement, has saved many insurance companies from ruin, was the declaration of Dr. William T. Sedgwick, of Boston.

During the currency debate in the Senate Senator Root announced that he had no presidential aspirations and that he would not accept the Republican nomination if tendered.

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A conservative estimate puts the total worth of the jewels of New York City at \$500,000,000. This is more than twice the value of the buildings of all the universities in this country.

The Panama Canal was actually open from end to end last Wednesday. The dredges have removed the Cucufacha slide sufficiently to permit the passage of medium sized vessels.

The trial of eight officials and employees of the Western Fuel Co., charged with defrauding the Government by making false returns on coal imported, was begun in San Francisco Tuesday.

All the property of Luis Terrazas, Enrique Creel and Juan Creel, including banks, mines, vast areas of land, cattle and personal effects, was ordered confiscated to rebels by a decree issued by Gen. Villa.

A sweeping declaration in favor of Government ownership of telegraph and telephone lines and the assertion that the postal service is now self-supporting for the first time since 1883 are features of the annual report of Postmaster General Burleson.

Geo. Voorhies, a former Confederate soldier, and one of the best known citizens of Lexington, father of Mrs. Jas. B. Haggin, of New York, owner of the El mendorf estate, died Sunday night at the home of Mr. Haggin, in New York. He was 76 years old and had been in bad health for two years.

Mrs. Lillie Fish, of Nicholasville, wife of the late Dr. Fish, of that city, died at a hospital in Lexington, Tuesday night, from a complication of diseases. Mrs. Fish was about fifty-five years old. The remains were taken to Nicholasville where interment took place Thursday.

Dorothy, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Fields, of Jessamine county, was burned to death, at their home at Keene. The mother had gone to see a sick neighbor and left the child with the other children. The little one was playing in the fire, when its dress caught on fire.

"Mona Lisa," Leonardo da Vinci's great painting, stolen from the Louvre in Paris by a fanatical Italian, is on exhibition in Florence for a short time, by consent of the French government. No amount of money will buy this painting by the great Italian master. It is said that the British government once offered \$5,000,000 for it.

After engaging a room at the Leland Hotel, Lexington, and draining a bottle of laudanum, J. W. McNelson, telephone lineman, telephoned a friend good-bye before falling on the bed to die. The message saved his life, for the night clerk overheard him say he had swallowed poison, and promptly summoned a physician.

Burglars entered the office of the Standard Oil Co. at Covington and were greatly displeased when they found that the \$100,000,000 corporation had nothing in the office worth taking, as this note shows: "Gentlemen—Next time we get in here and find nothing in the safe we will burn this building. Leave \$5 in the safe or we will burn the building."

Postmaster General Burleson told a Kentucky Congressman that he will not recommend a "dead beat" to any office.

"Few die and none resign." This aphorism regarding government employees brings to mind the death of Archie Lewis, colored, who was in charge of the robbing-room of the Justices of the Supreme Court at Washington. He held the position 64 years.

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ROMANOFF LINE NEARS END

Outlook for the Reigning Family in Russia is Growing Increasingly Gloomy.

London.—The Russian dynasty is in imminent danger of dying out and the present Emperor Nicholas is likely to be the last of the Romanoffs to occupy the imperial throne, according to a writer in "Free Russia," a newspaper appearing here. He says:

"The young Alexis, the emperor's only son, is suffering from an incurable disease—tuberculosis of the bones. It is said—and can only be kept alive a few months longer. The emperor himself has become the victim of fits of melancholy. His consort, the unfortunate empress, is still suffering acutely from a complete nervous breakdown. The question arises, therefore, who will be the heir of



Heir to Russian Throne.

Nicholas the Second, or will he be the last of the autocrats of Russia? The daughters of Nicholas cannot ascend the throne because Paul I., who hated his august mother, Catherine the Great, made a law whereby it became impossible for a woman to reign in Russia. Therefore, in case of the demise of Nicholas II, the throne should fall to his brother Michael. But this is hardly possible, since he has renounced all his rights and has married morganatically a Russian lady with whom he lives very happily far from court intrigues.

The writer then discusses the grand dukes, but finds insuperable objections to all of them.

BIG CATASTROPHES IN 1914?

Mme. Thebes Takes a Billous Squint into Europe's Future—Flood for London.

Paris.—Among Mme. Thebes's predictions of 1914 are:

"The planet Mars will predominate, with war always menacing. England will suffer critical perils in India.

London will be threatened by floods, a terrible catastrophe taking place as a result of the inundations, which will arouse the pity of the whole civilized world.

Portugal is to see a restoration of the monarchy.

Austria will be sorely tried with rioting; there will be bloodshed and fire in the streets of Vienna; the situation will be even worse than that in Hungary, the Austro-Hungarian dynasty will be in grave peril.

Germany will experience a severe upheaval, bringing profound changes in the character of her national life. Italy will witness a new pope, who will be friendlier to the monarchy.

It will be the good fortune of Russia to promote peace in the Balkans. France is to be afflicted with scandals, riots, bloodshed and industrial troubles in the northeast.

Paris will have a favorable year. No disaster is prophesied for America.

MENAGERIE FALLS 700 FEET

Sheep, Pig, Goose and Hen Make Trip in Parachute From Captive Balloon.

Paris.—A menagerie consisting of a rabbit, a hen, pigeons, a goose, a sheep and a pig fell from the clouds near the Eiffel Tower in a cage attached to a new form of parachute, which was dropped from a captive balloon.

The cage struck the ground with some force, but when the doors were opened the animals walked or flew out apparently none the worse for their 700 feet fall, with the exception of the sheep, which seemed dazed and lay motionless on the ground.

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Cuff Buttons or Stick Pins
Suit Case or Traveling Bag

For Her

"Stylecraft" Suit or Coat
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Dr. Hobson's Ointment Heals Itchy Eczema.

The constantly aching, burning sensation and other disagreeable forms of eczema, tetter, salt rheum and skin eruptions promptly cured by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Geo. W. Fitch, of Mendota, Ill., says: "I purchased a box of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Have had eczema ever since the Civil War, have been treated by many doctors, none have given the benefit that one box of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment has. Every sufferer should try it. We're so positive it will help you we guarantee it or money refunded. At all druggists or by mail 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis.

Warden Wells Exonerated.

Expressing every confidence in Warden A. J. Wells, the prison commissioner through Dan E. O. Sullivan, chair man, issued this statement:

"The Board of Prison Commissioners at its meeting Monday took up the charges brought by former Assistant Deputy Warden R. L. White against Warden A. J. Wells, of the State Reformatory and made a thorough investigation of every accusation. The affidavits of 61 guards and prison officials were secured by the board and, without exception, White's charges were shown to be false."

When baby suffers with croup, apply and give Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil at once. Safe for children. A little goes a long way. 25 and 50c. At all drug stores.

A Little Help Helps.

Every newspaper wants to publish the news. The better the paper the more prosperous it will be. Local news items are especially hard to run down. How many times have you, dear reader, been approached by the newspaper reporter for an item of news and told him that you knew nothing of interest. Probably at the time your family were away on a visit, or some one from out of town was visiting at your home. Of course you didn't mean to deceive the scribe, yet when you received your paper you wondered why your family or friends were not mentioned. A good way to avoid all this is to kindly inform us of the facts or drop us a note in the post-office to the paper. The one item may not amount to much, but several columns of such news is the life of the local paper. See?

Guarding Against Croup.

The best safeguard against croup is a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound in the house. P. H. Ginn, Middletown, Ga., writes: "My children are very susceptible to croup, easily catch cold. I give them Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and in every instance they get prompt relief and are soon cured. We keep it at home and prevent croup."

Try a pound can of Maxwell House Coffee. Every can guaranteed to give satisfaction. D. B. McKinney. 10-11



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- 1 3-inch roller bearing Davenport Farm Wagon
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- 3 one-horse Wagons

Will sell below cost if taken at once, as we need warehouse room for other machinery

Richmond Heating and Plumbing Co.

SCRAPS

Another precedent broken--a President's message that is worth reading!

Demure she sits within the pew
But I will put you next;
She's paying more attention to
The texture than the text.

Be a good boy and you may grow up to be a President--of some base ball league.

Being upbraided by her mother for being the lowest in her class, little Mabel exclaimed in tones of injured innocence: "It ain't my fault. The girl who has always been at the foot of the class left school!"

"So you want to marry my daughter, do you, young man?" "Y-e-s, s-i-r." "Well, can you support a family?" "I-how many are there of you, s-s-i-r?" --St. Louis Star.

The great question of the hour is the canal question.
Panama?
No, Alimentary; how to keep traffic passing through it at the present food prices.

WILL BE THERE.
During revival meetings in a Western city, placards giving notices of the various meetings, subjects, etc., were posted in conspicuous places. One day the following was displayed:

Subject--"Hell; its Location and its Absolute Certainty."
"Thomas Jones, barytone, will sing 'Tell Mother I'll Be There.'"

Hegan--"I think Miss de Blank is very rude."
Jones--"What causes you to think that?"

Hegan--"I met her out for a walk this afternoon and asked if I might see her home. She said yes, I could see it from the top of the high school building, and that it wasn't necessary for me to go any further."--The United Presbyterian.

If mirrors had never been invented, this world would be a sad place. Think of the millions of moments that would then be spent in gossip that are now employed in fixing hats and hair!

Stomach Troubles Disappear.

Stomach, liver and kidney troubles, weak nerves, lame back and female ills disappear when Electric Bitters are used. Thousands of women would not be without a bottle in their home. Eliza Pool, of Deper, Okla., writes: "Electric Bitters raised me from a bed of sickness and suffering and has done me a world of good. I wish every suffering woman could use this excellent remedy and find out, as I did, just how good it is." As it has helped thousands of others, it surely will do the same for you. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c and \$1. At all druggists. H. E. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis.

Dedicate New Hall At Berea.

Knapp Hall, a building for the training of rural teachers in connection with Berea College, was dedicated Tuesday. Some of the most noted educators in the country were on the program. The morning program, besides the principal address by Carroll G. Pearce, President of the Milwaukee Normal College, consisted of a welcome address by President Frost, of Berea College; response by Barksdale Hamlett, Superintendent of Kentucky Public Instruction, and a congratulatory address by President Crabbe, of the Eastern Kentucky Normal School. John B. McFerrin, of Louisville, President Wood, of Cumberland College; President Lewis, of the Sue Bennett Memorial School, and A. C. Monahan, of the Bureau of Education, Washington, D. C., also were on the program of the day.

For regulation of the bowels, easy, natural movements, relief of constipation, try Doan's Regulets. 25c at all stores.

INDIGESTION?

TAKE
PEPSINAID
COMPOUND
Really does put bad stomachs in order; really does overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, sourness, gas, heartburn and other disorders arising from a faulty digestive system. PEPSENAID should be in every home. It is the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.
50 CENTS. ANY DRUG STORE

In different sections of the State much interest is being shown in the country people by the residents of the cities. Some weeks ago we noticed an account a delightful day which the city of Bowling Green had given the rural dwellers of Warren county. The tillers of the soil were invited guests of the city and were given the best of entertainment and made to feel welcome and at home. Just the other day, our neighbor city of Lancaster did herself proud in arranging a "big day" for the farmers of Garard county, and that town will not stop with one day, but is arranging others equally as entertaining. It is a movement to be applauded and one which will be far-reaching in its results. The present-day feeling existing between the inhabitants of cities and those of rural districts is one of the closest friendship and the movement, starting perhaps as it did with the Farmers' Chautauques of last summer, will be a powerful factor in the uplifting and betterment of both city and rural conditions. Let the good work go on, and let our own city and others fall in line and keep step with those who are for a closer union of country and city.

The City of Washington does not have aldermen and a city council as other cities have, but the laws governing Washington are passed by Congress and signed by the President, and in that respect he acts as mayor. Whenever a measure is brought up in Congress affecting the liquor traffic of the District of Columbia the Senators and Representatives in the majority of cases cast their votes, not the way they really feel about the matter, but they cast those votes solely for the effect that they will have among their constituents; and so Washington does not and cannot get the laws that she ought to have.

The Lexington Herald.

Do you realize Mr. Farmer, what it is worth to you to know each morning the market value of your live stock and other farm products? Don't you realize that ignorance of market conditions for one day only, might mean many dollars to you? Is not your national pride strong enough to force the desire to know daily the phases of the trouble between the United States and Mexico? Only a few days ago Admiral Fletcher of the United States Navy threatened to turn the guns of his battleship on the Mexican city of Tampico unless the fighting then going on between the rebels and Federals in the streets of that city, and endangering the lives of our citizens and other foreigners, ceased. This would have meant war, and any act on any day may bring this result.

THE LEXINGTON HERALD, the leading daily of Central Kentucky, is now offering a mail rate of \$5 when paid in advance, for the daily and Sunday issue for one year. Why not subscribe now and see that you are kept posted on what is doing in all the world, including your own neighborhood news.

Catarrh Trouble Ended-- Use Hyomei.

YOU BREATHE IT--NO STOMACH DOSING--CLEANS THE HEAD.
Use nature's remedy for catarrh of cold in the head; one that is harmless, yet quick and effective.

It is the healing oil and balsams of Hyomei which you breathe through a small pocket inhaler. This curative and antiseptic air reaches the most remote air cells in the nose, throat and lungs, killing the catarrhal germs, stopping the offensive breath, raising of mucus, dropping in the throat, crusts in the nose and all other catarrhal symptoms. The complete outfit costs only \$1.00, and B. L. Middleton will return your money if not satisfied. Do not continue to suffer catarrhal ills--try Hyomei now--to-day.

Executor's Notice.

Any one having a claim against the estate of Mrs. Harriet Millon will please present it to me verified, as required by law, on or before Jan'y 1, 1914, or same will be barred. Persons indebted to the estate will please settle with me before that time. R. B. Millon, Executor of Mrs. Harriet Millon. 17-4t

Executrix Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of C. T. Fox, dec'd, will please present them to me verified as required by law on or before Jan'y 1, 1914, or the same will be barred. Persons indebted to the estate will please come forward and settle before that date. Mrs. C. T. Fox, Executrix. 17-4t

PARISIAN SAGE For The Hair.

If your hair is too dry--brittle--colorless--thin--stringy--or falling out--use Parisian Sage--now--at once. It stops itching scalp, cleanses the hair of dust and excessive oils, removes dandruff with one application, and makes the hair doubly beautiful--soft--fluffy--abundant. Try a 50c bottle today. It will not only save your hair and make it grow, but give it the beauty you desire. For sale at Perry's Drug Store.

The Weary Way

Daily Becoming Less Wearisome To Many Richmond People.

With a back that aches all day. With rest disturbed at night. Annoying urinary disorders. "This a weary way, indeed. Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for kidney trouble. Are endorsed by Richmond citizens Mrs. Morris Peel, 412 Walnut street, Richmond, Ky., says: "I suffered from my back and nothing seemed to help me. My kidneys were out of order. I did not sleep well and mornings when I got up I felt tired. My supply of Doan's Kidney Pills was procured at Middleton's Drug Store, and they did me a world of good. The pains left and my kidneys became normal."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cts. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name--Doan's--and take no other.

The Newspaper Man.

At a recent dinner of the "Old Guard" in the New York Press Club, Jones E. Whitley, a veteran newspaper man read the following:

I am IT, every day in the year and many times a day.

I am always on the job, twenty-four hours a day, and some overtime.

I am at everybody's service, but own no man as master.

I attend to everybody's business, for I make their business my business.

I am omnipresent, and I think omniscient.

I never had the lid on, for with me day and night are as one.

I speak all the languages and there is not a corner of the globe where I am not busy.

I make and unmake kings and Statesmen, and there is none too exalted to sit up and take notice.

I make most of the trouble that's afloat, by speaking right out in meeting, and no man can say to me nay.

I make and unmake millionaires, but am often glad to borrow a dime.

I am the last product of civilization, and now lead the all human agencies of progress.

I whisper and the whole world listens, but anyone with the price can get aboard and ride with me.

I am the cheapest thing you buy and am quite sure the best.

I play all parts in turn, and nothing long, funerals and feasts, flights and frolics. I am at home with all.

I am the reviewing officer before whom the whole human family makes its never-ending parade.

I am a hail-fellow with all saints and sinners alike, for all furnish grist to my ever turning mill.

I am no woman, yet I always have the last word.

I am everything you know or dream of, for

I am the newspaper man.

The Man Who Neglects Himself.

When his condition points to kidney trouble takes an unwise risk. Backache, pain and soreness over the kidneys, nervous or dizzy spells, poor sleep, are all symptoms that will disappear with the regular use of Foley's Kidney Pills. They put the kidneys and bladder in a clean strong and healthy condition.

WACO MILL PROPERTY

The owners desire to sell privately the mill property of Rucker, Benton & Co., at Waco, Ky. This is a money making plant. It consists of 2-story brick building and a 5-acre lot. The mill is equipped with modern machinery for the manufacture of flour and meal with a capacity of 40 barrels of flour per day.

Waco is the best business point and has the best school in Madison county, with a bank and three good stores. This mill property is the best property there. Address John A. Baumstark, Waco, Ky. or J. M. Benton, Winchester, Ky.

Public Sale

The Rufus P. McCord homestead consisting of approximately

400 ACRES

in Madison county, Ky., about 10 miles from Richmond, will be offered for sale on the place, on

Tuesday, Dec. 30

at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. It will be offered in separate tracts and as a whole. This farm is known as one of the best bluegrass farms in Madison county, with all necessary buildings and improvements in first-class condition.

Terms--One-third cash, balance in one, two years at six per cent interest, secured by lien on land. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Personal property will be sold at a later date to be announced.

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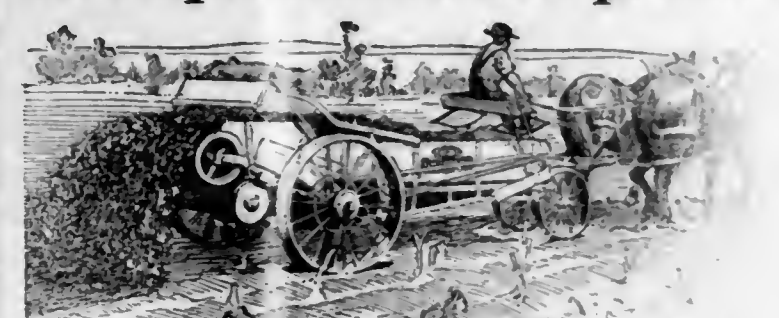
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Have you ever seen any spreader with more or good features? Waist high box--easy to load; no short turns and spreads evenly at corners; spreads turning either way; positive force feed--no rolling forward the load when the manure is moved toward the beater; spreading until the last forkful is spread; made in seven wide and narrow boxes; special attachments for drilling and spreading lime.

Ask us also about our new wide spread attachment scatters manure over an area eight feet wide--a very convenient device for top dressing growing corn.

The next time you are in town stop and get a catalog. Ask us to show you this machine--to show you how it saves work and increases profits. Give us a chance to prove that the Low Spread tops them all.

OLDHAM & HARBER

Saved Girl's Life

"I want to tell you what wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Thedford's Black-Draught," writes Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky.

"It certainly has no equal for the grippe, bad colds, liver and stomach troubles. I firmly believe Black-Draught saved my little girl's life. When she had the measles, they went in on her, but one good dose of Thedford's Black-Draught made them break out, and she has had no more trouble. I shall never be without

THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

in my home." For constipation, indigestion, headache, dizziness, malaria, chills and fever, biliousness, and all similar ailments, Thedford's Black-Draught has proved itself a safe, reliable, gentle and valuable remedy.

If you suffer from any of these complaints, try Black-Draught. It is a medicine of known merit. Seventy-five years of splendid success proves its value. Good for young and old. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents.

HARDWARE! and Tools



AN OLD PROVERB SAYS: "THE BEST IS NONE, TOO GOOD." THIS IS SO OF HARDWARE AND TOOLS. CHEAP MATERIAL OF ANY KIND IS DEAR MATERIAL IN THE LONG RUN. OUR LINES ALWAYS HAVE BEEN OF THE BEST AND MOST DURABLE QUALITY. THE BEST MANUFACTURERS MAKE OUR HARDWARE. OUR PERSONAL GUARANTEE STANDS BACK OF ANY TOOL WE SELL.

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